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TRA Approves Credit for Customers Of Chattanooga Gas Company

Nashville, Tennessee – More than 50,000 residential customers served by Chattanooga Gas Company will soon get a break on their home heating bills.

The Tennessee Regulatory Authority (TRA) today authorized the company to provide a one-time credit of \$43.50 to all of the company's natural gas residential customers. The credit will be reflected on customers' next billing statements to be mailed this week.

"This is tremendous news for customers served by Chattanooga Gas," said TRA Chairman Ron Jones. "With the temperatures falling to levels more in line with the season, this credit will be of great benefit to the company's customers."

"I want to commend Chattanooga Gas Company for their initiative in offering this refund," said TRA Director Pat Miller. "It demonstrates the company's desire to work with the TRA to offer Chattanooga customers immediate assistance with escalating natural gas prices."

TRA Director Sara Kyle agrees. "As a regulator, I take my job seriously and I applaud the utility for giving this much needed relief to their customers, especially our low income citizens at a time when they need it most."

The credit is a result of a flow-thru of Chattanooga Gas Company's gross profits generated from the use of the company's gas supply assets.